

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
CENTRAL DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA
CIVIL MINUTES - TRIAL

Case No. CV 23-6302-HDV-AJRx Date August 21, 2025
Title: Mark Snookal v. Chevron USA, Inc. et al

Present: The Honorable Hernán D. Vera, United States District Court Judge
Wendy K. Hernandez Maria Bustillos
Deputy Clerk Court Reporter/Recorder, Tape No.

Attorneys Present for Plaintiff(s):

Dolores Leal / Olivia Flechsig

Attorneys Present for Defendants:

Tracey Kennedy/ Robert Mussig / Hwashiu Sarah Fan

	Day Court Trial	3rd	Day Jury Trial
One day trial:	Begun (1 st day);	<u>x</u> Held & Continued;	Completed by jury verdict/submitted to court.
The Jury is impaneled and sworn.			
Opening statements made by			
<u>x</u> Witnesses called, sworn and testified.	<u>X</u> Exhibits identified.	<u>x</u> Exhibits admitted.	
Plaintiff(s) rest.	Defendant(s) rest.		
Closing arguments made by	plaintiff(s)	defendant(s).	Court instructs jury.
Bailiff(s) sworn.	Jury retires to deliberate.		Jury resumes deliberations.
Jury Verdict in favor of	plaintiff(s)	defendant(s) is read and filed.	
Jury polled.	Polling waived.		
Filed Witness & Exhibit Lists	Filed jury notes.	Filed jury instructions.	
Judgment by Court for		plaintiff(s)	defendant(s).
Findings, Conclusions of Law & Judgment to be prepared by		plaintiff(s)	defendant(s).
Case submitted.	Briefs to be filed by		
Motion to dismiss by		is	granted. denied. submitted.
Motion for mistrial by		is	granted. denied. submitted.
Motion for Judgment/Directed Verdict by		is	granted. denied. submitted.
Motion for a Judgment as a Matter of Law (FRCP 50(a))		is	granted. denied. submitted.
Settlement reached and placed on the record.			
Clerk reviewed admitted exhibits with counsel to be submitted to the Jury/Court for deliberation/findings.			
Counsel stipulate to the return of exhibits upon the conclusion of trial. Exhibit Release Form prepared and filed.			
Trial subpoenaed documents returned to subpoenaing party.			
Counsel for ** to submit a proposed judgment consistent with today's verdict within ** days/ by next week.			
<u>x</u> Case continued to	08/22/25 at 8:30am		for further trial/further jury deliberation.
<u>X</u> Other:	Proposed jury instructions and special verdict discussed. As discussed on the record, counsel may file supplemental briefs.		

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